

HOUSE BILL 114

By Alexander

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40,  
Chapter 33, Part 2, relative to distribution of asset  
forfeiture proceeds.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-33-211(a), is amended by  
deleting the following language:

All the seizures, confiscations and sales made by county or municipal law enforcement personnel shall be paid to the county trustee or city recorder, respectively, and shall be used exclusively for the benefit of the seizing county or municipality for law enforcement or drug education purposes. All such seizures, confiscations and sales derived from the activities of a judicial district drug task force shall be paid to an expendable trust fund maintained by the county mayor in a county designated by the district attorney general, and shall be used exclusively in a drug enforcement or drug education program of the district as directed by the board of directors of the judicial district drug task force.

and substituting instead the following:

All the seizures, confiscations, and sales made by county or municipal law enforcement personnel shall be paid to the county trustee or city recorder, respectively, and deposited in the county or municipal general fund. All such seizures, confiscations, and sales derived from the activities of a judicial district drug task force shall be paid to the county trustee or city recorder, as applicable, where the seizure occurred and deposited in the county or municipal general fund.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring  
it.